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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Mathias GEHRMANN et al.

Serial No.: 08/989,896

Filed: December 12, 1997

For: FUSION PROTEINS FOR

PRODRUG ACTIVATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Group Art Unit: 1644

Examiner: D. Saunders



## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to reply to the final Office Action of August 7, 2000, the first two months of which have been paid in a check for \$390.00, accompanying Applicants' Petition for Two-month Extension of Time dated January 5, 2001. A fee of \$500.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

By:

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: February 7, 2001

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	Applications filed by Applican	ollowing the Request for filing a Continued its herewith. The items checked below are	
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_	A fee of \$908.00 to cover the filing fee of the Continued Prosecution Application is enclosed.		
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